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March 22, 2006

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is a request for filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of pending prior application Serial No. 10/759,186 filed on January 20, 2004. The present application data includes:

Application No.: 10/759,186
Filed : January 20, 2004
Applicant : Tomikazu SAKAGUCHI
Title : MULTI-OPTICAL AXIS PHOTOELECTRIC SENSOR
Art Unit : 2878
Examiner : Ko, T.
Attorney Doc. : 0073/014001

Submission under 37 CFR 1.114: Please enter and consider the previously submitted Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 filed on December 22, 2005.

A petition for a three (3) months extension of time is filed concurrently herewith to maintain copendency.

The required fees are calculated below:

RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)	\$790.00
Three Months' Extension of Time Fee	\$1,020.00
TOTAL FEE DUE:	\$1,810.00

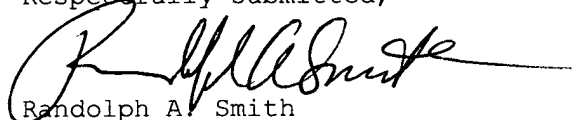
The \$1,810.00 fee for filing this application is currently due. Please charge this fee to the Credit Card number listed on the attached Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038 form), referencing Attorney Docket No. 0073/014001. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. It is believed that this fee covers all of the required fees for filing this application, however, if any additional fees are required, please charge these required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0073/014001.

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If any additional fee is required, or if it appears that a telephone conference would help to advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned at 202-530-5900.

Please continue to recognize the following address at the corresponding address: **Customer Number 22893.**

Respectfully submitted,



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